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Philadelphia, Free Library of Philadelphia, Rare Book Department, Lewis E 236

Description: ff. iii + 621 + iii - S. XIX German ? red morocco over pasteboard with gilt tooling and gilt clasp. - Note in s. XVIII French hand, partially legible, on fol. iii; Lawrence Witten (bookseller), New Haven, CT, cat. 5, 1962, no. 1946; Free Library of Philadelphia, purchased with the Simon Gratz fund, 1962. - Philadelphia Museum of Art, Leaves of Gold, 132-133, no. 44.

Notes: -Contains obits for Jeanne de Chatillon, countess of Alençon and Blois (January 30); Margaret of Namur(?) (February 7); Pierre, count of Alençon (April 13), St. Louis, king of France (August 25); and Phillip III, king of France (October 6).

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 6

Direct Link: http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/LewisE236_4

Language: Latin *Country:* France *Century:* 14th

Part 1: ff. 1-621

Description: - Parchment - 76 x 57 mm - 1 column of 17 lines, ruled in brown ink.

Country: France

Cardinal point:

Region:

City: Paris

Assigned Date: s. XIVⁱⁿ

Searchable Date Range: 1300 - 1315

Dated by scribe: No

Inscribed Date:

Document: No

Number of Scribes: ;

Script: Gothic

Artist(s): Jean Pucelle, follower of

Figurative Decoration: 15 historiated initials with foliate border bars (4 folios containing historiated initials have been excised).

Other Decoration: 25 decorated initials with foliate border bars; small illuminated with foliate extensions throughout, gold, red, and blue litterae notabiliores throughout.

Notes: This manuscript has been dated to ca. 1310. Latin

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1: ff. 1r-521v

Title: Breviary

Language(s): Latin



ff. 57v-58r Initial D with Samuel anointing David, beginning Psalm 26

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ff. 118v-119r Initial S with King David in the waters praying to God

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ff. 380v-381r Initial S with the Angel addressing the Three Marys, or Holy Women, at the Tomb of Christ

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ff. 399r-400v Initial P with the Ascension of Christ

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ff. 508v-509r Initial F with the Nativity of the Virgin

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ff. 519v-520r Initial D with the St. Francis receiving the stigmata

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